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E.O. 11652: GDS
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SUBJECT: VISIT TO WASHINGTON OF FONOFF NE ASIA DIRECTOR

1. FONOFF NE ASIA DIVDIR TETSUYA ENDO HAS EXPRESSED HOPE THAT HE WOULD BE ABLE TO VISIT WASHINGTON THIS SUMMER TO DISCUSS KOREA-RELATED MATTERS WITH VARIOUS USG OFFICIALS. (AS DEPT. WILL RECALL, ENDO PLANNED VISIT EARLIER THIS YEAR, BUT HAD TO POSTPONE IT BECAUSE OF WASHINGTON SCHEDULING PROBLEMS AND, SUBSEQUENTLY, PRESS OF DIET BUSINESS.) ENDO WOULD BE FREE TO COME TO WASHINGTON FOR TWO OR THREE DAYS AT ANY TIME BETWEEN JUNE 26 AND JULY 17. IF POSSIBLE, HE WOULD LIKE TO MEET WITH DAS GLEYSTEEN AND ARMACOST AT NSC, EA/J AND EA/K COUNTRY DIRECTORS, NORTH KOREAN ANALYSTS IN INTELLIGENCE COMMUNITY, AND APPROPRIATE OFFICIALS AT DOD/ISA.

2. ENDO HOPES TO DISCUSS KOREA "IN ALL ASPECTS," INCLUDING GOJ-ROK RELATIONS, NORTH KOREA AND TROOP WITHDRAWAL. HE WOULD LIKE CONVERSATIONS TO BE "FREE AND INFORMAL IN SPIRIT OF US-JAPAN PLANNING TALKS." ENDO WOULD BE ACCOMPANIED BY POLICY-PLANNING DEPDIR MOTOFUMI ASAI.

3. GIVEN SOUTH KOREAN SENSITIVITIES, ENDO NOTED THAT FONOFF WOULD STATE ON IF-ASKED BASIS THAT HE WAS VISITING US TO TALK WITH JAPANESE EMBASSY IN WASHINGTON AND WHILE THERE WOULD
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TAKE OPPORTUNITY TO CALL ON APPROPRIATE USG OFFICIALS FOR EXCHANGE OF VIEWS.

4. REQUEST DEPT. GUIDANCE ON MOST CONVENIENT DATES FOR PROPOSED VISIT.
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